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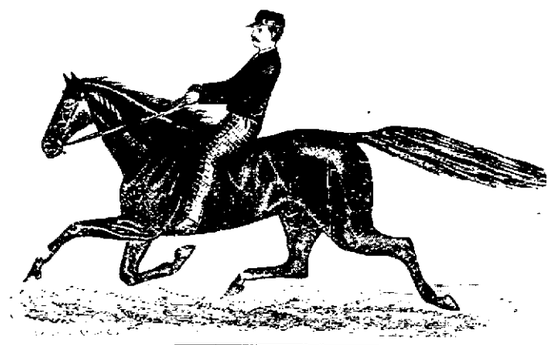

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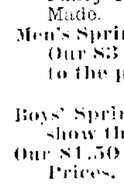

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which always has undersold and always will undersell all others in the trade. As an extra inducement we will give away a barrel of flour free to some one of our customers this week. The successful one may have his choice of either Hatfield's or Shellabarger's or Pillsbury's product. If you buy this week you may be the fortunate one. In any event it always pays to trade at the

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LOCAL AND GENERAL NEWS.

Sunday School Convention.

J. E. Saxton and George W. Battles attended the Illini township Sunday school convention at Warrensburg Sunday. Township president E. J. Roberts was in charge of the meeting and a most interesting program was observed. The numbers were rendered as follows:

MORNING SESSION.

Prayer and Praise—Conducted by.....
.....E. J. Roberts, Township Pres.
Address.....Rev. C. F. Tobey
Responsibility of the teacher.....G. W. Battles
Responsibility of the scholar.....
.....Mrs. J. M. Crary and Mrs. Ed White
Address.....Rev. F. W. Hatch

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Praise service.....Led by S. M. Lutz
Little Folks' Meeting Conducted by.....
.....E. J. Roberts and Mrs. Leona Stookey
Better schools.....J. E. Saxton
Report of the State Convention.....
.....Mrs. C. M. Ritchie
Address.....Rev. E. F. Sewell
Election of officers.

Funeral of Mrs. Hargis.

Many friends of the family and deceased filled the house and lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Conklin Saturday evening at the funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah A. Hargis. The impressive services were conducted by Rev. Geo. E. Scringer, of Stapp's Chapel, assisted by the church choir. The floral tributes came from the more intimate friends of the family. Interment in Greenwood. J. R. Gorin, G. R. Steele, George Stare, William Bowers, Moses Stafford and J. W. Myers were the pallbearers.

DODDS' CATARRH CURE.

LOCAL AND INTERNAL TREATMENT.

In order to cure catarrh it is necessary to allay the inflammation of the irritated membranes with a soothing application, cleanse the head of the plugging mucous secretions, and heal the discharging ulcers. For cold in the head and nasal catarrh Dodds' local treatment does this without the aid of snuff, douches or fumes. If the disease has extended downwards, affecting the bronchial tubes or lungs, digestion and blood, the internal treatment both removes from the system the scattered poison, and by its building-up properties assists nature in restoring the impaired parts. Send for our book treating on catarrh. FOSTER, MILBURN & Co., proprietors, Buffalo, N. Y.

Sold in Decatur by C. F. Shilling, East End Drug store, and King & Wood, 139 N. Water Street.

THE Mormon church so far in the history of this country, has been the only one to defy the authority of the government. It now regrets that it monkeyed with the buzz-saw.

Consumption.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup.

No cough has played such sad havoc with the human race as Consumption. No other disease supplies so certainly. Its early symptoms are ignored because it is thought only a Cold or hacking Cough, which is neglected until this grim monster has fastened its fell clutch on the throat. Ballard's Horehound Syrup has removed the grip of this grim monster from many a throat. If taken in time it will effect a permanent cure, and in the worst stages it will give surprising relief. Try its soothing and healing virtues. Do not put it off until too late.

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Woman's Exchange Lunch.

Coffee, Tea, Cocoa, Milk, each 5c; Parker House Rolls, Bread and Butter, Brown Bread, Salt-rising Bread, Cookies, Doughnuts, Pie, Cake, Cold Meats, Salad, Potato Chips, Cottage Cheese, each 5c; Ice Cream, 10c; Cream, 10c a glass; Strawberries, 10c. Apr 25-dtf

AT Bicycle Headquarters, Nos. 110 and 114 East William street, Library Block you can purchase Wheels of all kinds on weekly or monthly payments; from 1 to 9 months. *See our prices.* O. EWING, manager. may14-d1mo

TO THE thousands of women who cannot afford to keep a horse the cycle will prove a blessing. It requires but little attention and is ready at a moment's notice for use; at the Ewing Bicycle School. m28-d1w

THE largest stock, greatest variety and handsomest goods can at all times be found at LINN & SCRUGGS. d&w

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ROYAL ROYAL BAKING POWDER Absolutely Pure.

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Roland G. Sellars, Deceased.

The undersigned having been appointed Administrator of the estate of Roland G. Sellars, late of the county of Macon and state of Illinois, deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county, at the court house in Decatur, at the August term, on the first Monday in August next, at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 20th day of May, 1890.

JOHN K. WARREN, Administrator.

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Dated this 26th day of May, 1890.

HARRY K. MIDKIFF, Administrator.

May 27-d3w

Typewriting in Washington.

Up in our department there is a lady—the daughter of a distinguished general, now dead—who does a good deal of writing for the cheaper class of magazines, and always has her manuscripts copied by one of the typewriters in the department. One day she took the manuscript of a short article, written for a well known woman's magazine, to a young lady who had recently been appointed as copyist in the department to have it transcribed.

The young woman, it seems, had had some dealings with magazines herself, and not being troubled with conscientious scruples, she made two copies of the article, mailed one to a periodical to which she had before sold some matter, and under some pretext delayed delivering the other one to its author for some time.

The article was promptly accepted and a check for it sent to the typewriter. Then the author of the article mailed it to the magazine for which she intended it, and a few days later there was an explosion. It seems that the typewriter, as such would have it, had mailed the stolen matter to the very same editor that its rightful owner had intended it for. The offer of a copy of manuscript which he had already accepted or paid for actually caused the editor to institute an inquiry, which in a very short time led to an exposure of the fair typewriter's duplicity. She and the author had an awful row. But the latter couldn't very well lay the matter before the chief and ask for the girl's dismissal, for of course she had no right to have the matter copied in the office, and didn't care about having the fact that she had exposed. She will, however, have her manuscript copied elsewhere in future.—Washington Critic.

The Coming Man.

I imagine that when we look back from our home in the unseen universe ages hence we shall see, without much doubt, a race of men differing from those of today much as the man of today differs from his simious, perhaps simian, ancestors. The brain will be developed to meet the more complex and serious taxation of a more complex and trying civilization; the vital powers will be intensified; the man, reducing the powers of nature still more completely to his service, will depend less on the exertions of his muscles, and they will be correspondingly and comparatively less powerful, though they will probably, nevertheless, I imagine, continue to grow somewhat in size, as they unquestionably have grown since the Middle Ages; the lungs must supply aeration to a larger and more rapidly circulated volume of blood richer in the phosphatic elements especially needed for the building up of brain and nerve; the digestion must supply its nutriment in similarly increased amount and altered character and composition; the whole system must be capable of more rapid, more thorough and more manageable conversion of the energies of the natural forces to the uses of the intellect and the soul which inhabits it.—Professor Thurston in North American Review.

The Pulpit and the Stage.

Rev. F. M. Shrout, Pastor United Brethren Church, Blue Mound, Kan., says: "I feel it my duty to tell what wonders Dr. King's New Discovery has done for me. My Lungs were badly diseased, and my parishioners thought I could live only a few weeks. I took five bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery and am sound and well, gaining 26 lbs. in weight."

Arthur Love, Manager Love's Funny Folks Combination, writes: "After a thorough trial and convincing evidence, I am confident Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, beats 'em all, and cures when everything else fails. The greatest kindness I can do my many thousand friends is to urge them to try it." Free trial bottles at King & Wood's drug store. Regular sizes 50c and $1.00. cm

School Report.

The following is the report of the Prairie Valley school for the second month of the spring term ending May 29. Pupils who have not been absent or tardy are: Dolly Bahney, Ida Bahney, Gertrude Matthews, Bertha Matthews and Scott Bahney. And the following are the names of those who have not been absent: Remus Tohill, Garfield Tohill, Scott Bahney, Bertha Matthews, Gertrude Matthews, Willie Haynes, Ida Bahney and Polly Bahney.

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Vacuum, quarts (steamed) 8c per bottle
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THE Old Reliable Peter Gantlier and Moline Wagons for sale by Spencer & Lehman. nov5-d&wtf

THE Bluegrass Shop will make you low figures on vehicle work. apr 18-dtf

DECATUR

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OLYMPIA HIPPODROME, Thrilling and exciting Races, Contests and Gladiatorial Displays.

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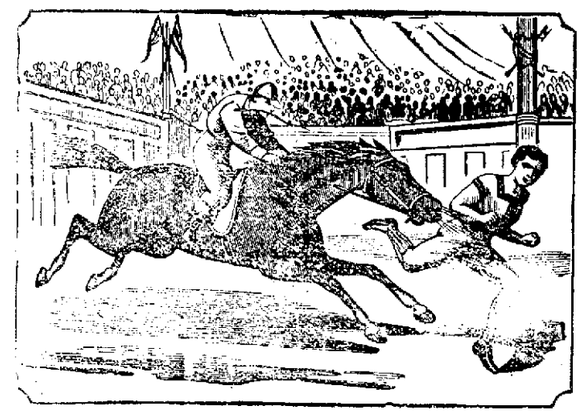

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Besides numberless and countless features of an extraordinary kind and character, all new, grand, complete, mystifying and bewildering, and never seen before.

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Roman Combats, Circus Maximus, Chariot Races, Barbarians, Slaves, Priests, Ceremonies, Religious Fetes, Bacchanalian Orgies, Christian Martyrs, Soldiers, Senators, Vestal Virgins, Mimic Battles, Famed Expert Dancers and a thousand grand effects of Scenery, Costumes and Accessories, Eunuchs, Lictors, Conspirators, Embassadors, Spies, Hostages, Civilians, Citizens, Sacrificial Offerings, Ancient Armor, $75,000 in Scenery, $250,000 in Costumes.

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50 dozen Cotton Towels at 5c.
100 dozen Blue and Red Check all-linen Towels at 8c.
50 dozen Huck and Colored Bordered Damask Towels at 12½c.
25 doz. knotted fringed Towels at 15c each.
50 doz. extra large Damask Towels at 19c each.
Extra large Huck Linen Towels, hemmed, at 25c each.
50 pieces of red and blue Check Glass Linen (line) at 10c a yard.
25 dozen all-linen Check Doyles at 3c.
50 dozen large linen Doyles at 5c each.
Cream Table Damasks at 17c, 20c, 30c and 40c a yard.
Bleached Table Linen, 58-inch wide, special sale price, 50c a yard.
Bleached soft-finished Table Linen, 62-inch wide, 58c a yard.
Steel's 58-inch Cream Damask at 65c a yard, usual price, 75c and 85c.
Handsome patterns in Lunch Cloths at 90c and $1.00 each.
50 Table Sets, with Napkins, at $2.50 and $3.00 a set.

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

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MONDAY EVE., JUNE 2, 1890.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.

The Republicans of the several townships of Macon county are requested to select delegates to attend a county convention to be held at the Court House in Decatur on the

20th day of June, 1890,

for the purpose of selecting ten delegates to each of the following Republican conventions, to-wit

To the State Convention to be held in Spring field, on the Twenty fourth day of June

To the Congressional Convention to be hereafter called

To the Representative and Senatorial Convention, to be hereafter called

And for the purpose of reorganizing the County Central Committee as well as to transact such other business as may properly come before the convention

The representation in said convention will be based upon the Republican vote cast for President Harrison in 1888 being one delegate for every fifty or fraction of twenty five votes or over Each district or township will be entitled to the following delegates to-wit

Decatur 1st District		2
" 2nd "		2
" 3rd "		2
" 4th "		4
" 5th "		2
" 6th "		4
" 7th "		4
" 8th "		4
" 9th "		4
" 10th "		5
" 11th "		2
Austin Township		2
Blue Mound township		3
Friends Creek "		3
Hickory "		1
Harristown "		1
Illini "		3
Long Creek "		3
Macon "		4
Maroa "	1st dist	3
"	2d dist	3
Milam "		1
Mt Zion "		3
Niantic "		2
Oakley "		2
Pleasant View "		2
Whitland "		4
Whitmore "		3

All Republican voters are earnestly requested to attend their respective primaries in order that a full expression may be had in the selection of delegates The primaries are urgently requested to see to it that a suitable person is selected at each primary meeting to be presented to the county convention as chairman for their district and report to him on the County Republican Central Committee If no committee is appointed the chairman of the convention will meet immediately after the convention to organize for the campaign

By order of the County Republican Central Committee M E KANAN Chairman

JOHN A BARNES, Secretary

THERE was a noticeable absence of young men in the Democratic county convention. But the mossbacks were there in full force and got all the choice places

PRESIDENT HARRISON, on Decoration Day, assisted in the dedication to the memorial to Garfield and otherwise observed the occasion in an appropriate manner Mr. Cleveland if President, would have gone fishing, as he did before on that day *Globe Democrat*

To those who predicted the disfigurement, by amendment, of the McKinley tariff bill, in the Senate, there comes the distressing news that the Republican sub-committee of the Senate committee on finance in a session last Saturday disposed of the schedules on chemicals, earthenware, pottery and glassware This was pretty rapid work, and indicates that the Republicans of the Senate and House understand each other on the revision of the tariff and the reduction of the internal revenue taxes

Wyman vs Butterworth

Mr Butterworth, of Ohio, early in the session, introduced a bill in congress providing for free trade relations between the country and Canada. When the McKinley bill was considered in the house, Mr Butterworth made a speech against the principles of the bill This was prompted, it is supposed, by a fear that the duties provided in the bill on Canadian products would practically kill the bill Now comes Mr Wyman, of Canada, who says that in case the McKinley bill becomes a law, and that part of it relating to duties on agricultural products is enforced against Canada, the Tories will be defeated at the polls by the Liberal party with Sir Charles Cartwright as chief financial minister, which would mean such harmonious relations between Canada and the United States as ought in the near future result in political alliance, It would, to say the least, he thinks, bring about free trade between the two countries and protection against the products of England and other foreign countries on the part of both Canada and the United States According to Mr Wyman, the aggressive policy of McKinley and his followers will do more toward influencing other governments to move in our direction than all the temporizing policies such as that advocated by Mr Butterworth could possibly do

An enterprising showman has just been sentenced to two months' imprisonment at Rouen, in France, for exhibiting a false "Angelus." He claimed that it was the original by Millet, and that the one in America was a forgery.

We have been in the restaurant business a long time. Give us your patronage and we will try to please you Come in and take dinner to-day at Combs' restaurant. mard dawtf

As the result of weighing 203 newly born children to determine the weight of brain, the male infant's brain weighed 11 9 ounces and the female 11 6 ounces the weight of the brain being to the body average to eight or thereabout

Ballard's Snow Liniment.

This invaluable remedy is one that ought to be in every household It will cure you Rheumatism Neuralgia Sprains Cuts Bruises Burns Frost Bites and Ears, Sore Throat and Sore Chest It will relieve Lame Back it will cure at once the worst case of the disease It will cure Stiff Joints and contracted muscles after all other remedies have failed Thousands who have been cripples for years have used Ballard's Snow Liniment and thrown away their crutches and been able to walk as well as ever It will cure you. *Price, 50 cents*

Sold by John A Swearingen Druggist

THOSE wishing information concerning the annual convention of the Society of Christian Endeavor to be held at St Louis in the Exposition building on June 12 and 13, can obtain such by call at the Wabash office in the depot and as rates, hotel accommodations, etc

A PURE AND RELIABLE MEDICINE.—A compound fluid extract of roots, leaves barks and berries is Burdock Blood Bitters. They cure all diseases of the blood, liver and kidneys.

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The Full Delegation.

The Democrats had slow work of it Saturday afternoon casting ballots for the delegates to the different conventions to be held. It was a convention composed largely of elderly gentlemen and had it not been for the manipulation of the Decatur bosses very likely the business of the meeting would be yet unfinished. Mr Mowry, however, acquitted himself very creditably as chairman. Below we give the delegates in full

DELEGATES

State Convention—C A Ewing, C T Kincaid, A G Webber, Mark Moran Decatur P F Roberts, Illini H C Montgomery Macon G W Drysdale Pleasant View J Whitley, Niantic and J F Helmick Friends Creek

Congressional convention—I D Walker D Patterson J W Delaney, Decatur W F Dawson Macon B F Shipley, Maroa H C Mowry Forsyth J W Bigger Austin Geo B Spitler Mt Zion

Senatorial convention—Reuben Brownlee M Crandy W F Dennis, C M Barnett John Fletcher James J Drake W H Linn, H M Bragg J L Graham, Robert Kincaid Decatur John Johnston Austin F H Coleman Blue Mound W I Griffin Friends Creek Samuel Davis, Harristown McMillan Hickory Point Chairman authorized to appoint Illini

County Chairman authorized to appoint Illini David Myers, Long Creek J J Atterbury, Macon D W Craig and Aaron Moon Maroa F P Bromley Milam R F Williams Mt Zion John Wacker Niantic H H Colgan Oakley A A Carr, Pleasant View Thos Fountain, Wheatland James Babcock, Whitmore

COUNTY CENTRAL COMMITTEE

The new county central committee is composed of the following members Decatur, Ed Knight Lee Hall W K Dennis, David Latterson, J S Hewes E Hampton J R Miller D W Delaney T A Sims A Shoenaker C I Houston Austin J W Bigger Blue Mound R Hill Friends Creek J F Helmick Hickory Point J C McMillan Illini F B Ritchie Long Creek M D Ritz Maroa Basil Cooper Milam F B Bromley Mt Zion Leo B Spitler Niantic John Wacker Oakley H Maneckse Pleasant View Geo W Drysdale Macon Wheatland Frank Fleemer Whitmore F K Noble After the convention had adjourned the committee met and organized by electing J Bierman chairman C C Lafore secretary and J K Miller treasurer

It is reported at Springfield that Gov. Fifer will issue a proclamation convening the general assembly in extra session June 17 The call will be confined to the consideration of bills and resolutions relative to the world's fair to be held at Chicago in 1893, including the submitting to the people of a constitutional amendment to permit Chicago to guarantee $5,000,000 of bonds of the fair association It is understood that it is not deemed advisable by the governor to include the subjects of taxation and compulsory education, as there is no emergency for action on these questions

How They Stand

The following tables show the relative positions of the 11 clubs of the different organizations in the championship races

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Per Cent
Philadelphia	21	8	.724
Cincinnati	21	11	.656
Brooklyn	19	15	.558
New York	19	15	.559
Chicago	15	15	.500
Boston	15	18	.455
Cleveland	14	18	.438
Pittsburgh	8	24	.300

PLAYERS LEAGUE

	Won	Lost	Per Cent
Boston	21	11	.656
Brooklyn	21	11	.656
New York	21	11	.656
Chicago	20	14	.588
Philadelphia	19	17	.528
Cleveland	15	17	.469
Pittsburgh	14	17	.452
Buffalo	12	20	.375

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

	Won	Lost	Per Cent
Athletic	22	9	.710
Rochesters	21	11	.656
Toledo	21	11	.656
Columbus	19	14	.576
Syracuse	17	16	.515
Louisville	16	17	.485
Brooklyn	15	17	.469
Kansas City	14	19	.424
Cincinnati	13	20	.394
St Louis	9	23	.281

At Lincoln Saturday, Mrs Ellen Maloney, a well known lady and a resident of Bloomington, who was visiting friends at Lincoln started out for a walk on the streets and had taken but a few steps when she fell to the ground and almost immediately expired Heart disease was the cause

Mammoth Auction, Tyler Place, St Louis

The Auction Sale in St Louis, Mo, on June 9th and 10th of the large and beautiful tract of land known as Tyler Place affords an opportunity to investors and speculators, that is rarely ever equaled, as it is sold to pay untied tedtrusts

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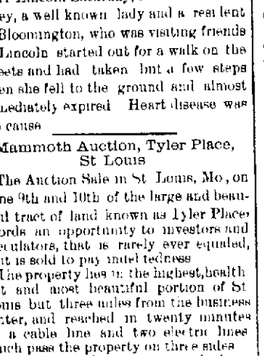

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FROM WASHINGTON.

The Work of the Census Takers Begun To-Day.

A VAST ARMY OF WORKERS REQUIRED.

The Congressional Forecast — Senator Carlisle on the "Sub-Treasury" Bills—The Postal Service of the Pacific Coast, Etc.

The Work of the Census-Takers.

WASHINGTON June 2 —The machinery for taking the census for 1890 will be put in motion to day all over the United States, and it will be pushed as expeditiously as possible Superintendent Porter anticipates early returns to his office that the work of tabulating can be entered upon and completed within a reasonable period The preliminary matters have been arranged, blanks prepared, enumerators instructed as to their duties and all that remains to be done is to collect the data which it has been decided shall become a part of the census It requires 43,000 men as enumerators to gather the requisite information and each of these is either employed in a definite locality or upon some special topic This, however does not include the additional thousands of clerks employed in collecting and tabulating the returns made that will come back from all over the country as the result of the labors of the enumerators so it can be seen at a glance what corps of men it requires, and what an immense sum of money must be expended to accomplish this undertaking

Mr Porter has accepted and confirmed the supervisors selections of enumerators except in a few instances, where the fitness of the appointees was questioned and it being shown that they were incompetent others were substituted In the South in some places, objection was made to the appointment of colored men but the supervisors being held responsible for their men he concluded to trust to their discretion, and declined to interfere upon that ground It is known however that appointments of this kind are few, and even in the case of colored supervisor nearly all the enumerators designated by him are white men

It is not anticipated that much trouble will be experienced in obtaining answers to the questions that are to be propounded but where refusals are met with they will be at once reported, and steps taken to enforce the law The superintendent is not given any discretion in the matter but it is made obligatory upon him to report each and every person who fails to comply with the requirements of the law to the proper persons who will institute a vigorous prosecution against the violators of it, and they become liable to a fine of $100

It is thought that some trouble will be experienced in securing answers to the inquiry regarding mortgages as well as those concerning special information in relation to disease about which physicians have recently given opinions and decline to furnish it No exceptions will be made in propounding the question or harsh measures resorted to in enforcing the law, but where it becomes plain that the provisions of the law are intentionally being violated then the parties so offending will be called upon to take the consequences

Superintendent Porter to day in response to a telegraphic inquiry heard from more than a hundred of the census supervisors in various sections of the country saying that everything was in readiness to begin the work to day He has no doubt but that all are ready, and that the work will begin in each and all of the districts without hitch or obstacle Assistant Chief Clerk Wardle, of his office has gone to New York to watch the beginning of operations there and in Brooklyn where the population consists will disclose more than two million people

Congressional Forecast.

WASHINGTON June 2—The Senate will resume to day the suspended silver debate Senators Pugh, Aldrich and Sherman are booked for long speeches and as a great many other Senators desire to be heard, no limit to the debate can be fixed It is likely to be suspended from time to time during the week to permit the discussion of bills from the committee on appropriations.

In the House the Silver bill agreed upon by the Republican caucus of the House will be considered during the week in committee of the whole The bill will be called up probably on Wednesday and the rest of the week will be consumed in debating it. It can not be definitely stated that the bill will be acted upon before the end of the week but it is general suspension day and a long list of bills general and a large number of local measures will be placed on their passage under suspension of the rules To morrow has been set apart for the consideration of the contested election case of McDuffie (Rep) against Turpin (Dem) from Alabama The Republican majority of the elections committee has declared in favor of seating McDuffie, and there is no doubt that this will be done

Senator Carlisle on the "Sub-Treasury" bills

WASHINGTON June 1—Senator Carlisle has written a long letter to a member of the Farmers' Alliance in Tuskegee Ala in regard to "sub Treasury" bills now pending in Congress In this letter Mr Carlisle says "The whole scheme is misguided formed and design is visionary in principle and if adopted would prove ruinous to every interest it is intended to benefit." He says further that it is a plan to compel the Government to issue and distribute money for the benefit of the people living in the south and productive counties at the expense of the people living in the poorer and less productive ones Moreover it is a plan to enable unscrupulous speculators to take advantage of the farmers' pecuniary necessities and extort exorbitant prices for food from people who reside in cities and towns and villages" The plan if adopted, he says, would throw the country into profound confusion twice a year, enriching some by inflation of currency and bankrupting others by contraction of currency and decline in prices

The Postal Service of the Pacific Coast.

WASHINGTON, June 1—The postal service on the Pacific Coast will be thoroughly investigated by First Assistant Postmaster-General Clarkson, who leaves to-day for an extended tour West. In company with members of his family he will travel in a special car from his home in Des Moines, Ia., directly to Seattle, Wash From that point he will make trips to different points in Washington and Oregon, and then go to San Francisco and the principal places in California He will return East about the 1st of July, when he will take the step he has had in contemplation and resign his office. Mr Michener, of Indiana, is spoken of as General Clarkson's successor Mr Clarkson's believes that the postal needs of the Pacific coast are not thoroughly understood by the Department authorities, and he believes that beneficial changes can be made which will greatly improve the service

Fatal Accident on the Alliance.

WASHINGTON, June 1—A report has been received at the Navy Department from Commander Henry C Taylor, commanding the United States ship Alliance, now on her way to China, stating that on the morning of the 9th inst., while the ship was cruising in the Mediterrean and the crew was at target practice, Boatswain's Mate J McGowan was instantly killed by the premature explosion of a sixty pounder breech loading rifle He was captain of the gun, and was in the act of locking the breech mechanism when the cartridge exploded blowing the plug entirely through his body, which was torn apart.

THE COMMERCIAL WORLD.

The Week's Business and the Outlook as Reported by R G Dun & Co

NEW YORK, June 1—R G Dun & Co. in their weekly report says

Another week has brought distinct reaction in speculative markets which was only suspected a week ago Stocks and wheat have had a sharp decline, though the business in progress throughout the country seems about as large as at any previous time With no disturbance in the money market, and no commercial disaster to cause apprehension prices turned downward and the expectation of an expansion of currency no longer suffices to lift things. Reports from interior cities continue highly encouraging Improvement is observed at Chicago, Milwaukee Minneapolis and other points where the brighter wheat prospects have most effect recent rains having justified larger estimates At the south the crop prospects and business is satisfactory for the season At the East groceries have been comparatively active in the boot and shoe trade fair while stocks still fail to disturb the market for building material The great industries have not materially changed in position for although speculation in cotton has shaken and the price again, particularly in check the demand is only steady and private orders have not risen Wool is called firm only because buyers and sellers do not yet make concessions The iron and steel industry has not yet realized the desired improvement which dealers hoped was foreshadowed by the firmer tone last week, and buyers do not forget that the present production, at the rate of nine millions of tons yearly, is more than the country has ever yet got into consumption The works are generally employed upon orders for some time ahead In the speculative markets wheat has had a sharp fall of 3½ cents on sales of 85 000 000 bushels here in part because rains throughout the Northwest greatly improved the spring wheat outlook, but also because high prices had checked exports Corn has been unchanged and only one half cent lower Oil speculation has also weakened 2½ cents But cotton has been screwed up another one fourth of a cent by manipulation, and coffee has been lifted as much The stock market has had a considerable reaction, by most persons attributed to the appointment of a receiver for the Chicago Gas Trust and the sharp falling in that and Sugar Trust stocks The money markets of the interior have been amply supplied, and while money is stiff here at Boston close at Cleveland and in brisk demand at Milwaukee, the demand is good at Kansas City, fair at Chicago and moderate at most other Western towns but the market is stronger at St Louis

The business failures occurring throughout the country during the last seven days, as reported to R G Dun & Co., number For the United States 204, and for Canada, 14, or a total of 218 failures as compared with a total of 224 last week and 212 the week previous to the last For the corresponding week of last year the figures were 215, representing 200 failures in the United States and 15 in Canada

The East Colliery Fire

ASHLAND Pa, June 2—The East Colliery slope fire is still burning It is now twenty feet from the slope The fire has been burning for several months, but being in an old working beyond reach a battery was built to prevent it from penetrating the valuable veins which are being worked Efforts will be made to confine the fire to the old level by building a new battery and flooding that part of the mines A thorough investigation has been made by Superintendent Luther and other mine officials of the burning banks on the surface, which are supposed to have been the cause of the fire

Assistant Postmaster-General Clarkson.

PITTSBURGH, Pa June 1—Assistant Postmaster General J S Clarkson was on the limited last night going West In an interview he denied emphatically that he has ever sent in his resignation or that he even contemplated resigning. He also denied the recent interview attributed to him in which he stated that President Harrison was suspicious of every man under him He said that he would like to start a Republican weekly in New York city if he had the money

Suicide and Accidental Drowning.

CHICAGO, June 2—Ida Smith, thirty-five years of age, engaged in the dressmaking business became despondent owing to reverses in business and committed suicide Saturday evening by jumping into the lake from Fullerton avenue pier A young man, name unknown, leaped into the water and attempted to save her, but after swimming a short distance he was seen to suddenly throw up his hands and disappear It is supposed he was seized with cramps.

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TELEGRAPHIC TRIFLES.

—General Brine, noted for his Baton voyages across the channel, is dead

—The Clyde brick works at Bethlehem, Pa., burned Saturday Loss, $12,000

—The fugitive mayor of Cedar Keys, Fla., Gottreil, is said to have been heard from in Honduras

—William D Cross was Saturday sentenced to hang January 9, 1891, for killing his wife in October last

—In the yacht handicap race from the Nore to Dover Saturday, Mohawk won, Vandura was second

—Mr Lawrence Barrett, with his wife and daughter arrived in New York, Friday, from Germany in the Lahn

—John F Boggs of Chicago, of Cronin fame has been re elected Senior Guardian of the notorious C I P No 20

—Several men were painfully wounded by gunwads in a sham battle at Van Courtland Park New York City, Saturday

—The Governor of Louisiana has ordered an election for Representative of the Fwelfth ward of New Orleans vice Phillips, absconded

—John Anderson B Quest and E L Endenberg were killed near Castle Rock, Col., Friday by a cave in at Curry & O Brien's rock quarry

—R G Falk was arrested at Sunbury, Pa., Saturday by the United States authorities passing counterfeit money He was held 500 bail

—Ex Cleveland, as referee of the eighth ward of Langdon vs the City of New York, involving wharf rights, has decided in favor of the defendant

—Walt Whitman was entertained at dinner in Philadelphia Saturday night by a number of his literary friends, the occasion being his seventy first birthday

—President Harrison and his party of Government officials paid a flying visit to the Scotch Irish congress in Pittsburgh, on their return trip from Columbus, O

—The anti lottery members of the Louisiana Legislature claim to have one third of the members of both houses, which is enough to defeat the lottery scheme

—On Wednesday last the reservoir at Gunnison Col broke with a head of twenty feet of water Some fences were swept away, but no dwellings No lives were lost

—The saloon of John Silbym, at Amsterdam N Y was burned Saturday morning Michael Donlon a bartender, was burned to death and Silbym was badly burned about the face

—The spinners at G J S Holden & Co's mills at Bennington, Vt, have struck The company wished to have them run two mules and earn higher wages, but the spinners objected to this plan

—Examiner Bottman, who has been busily engaged in examining the affairs of the Oswego National Bank at Binghampton, N Y, states that in his opinion the bank will resume business in a few days.

—Miss Fimmet secured her divorce from the actor during a round trip by the latter to Queenstown and return made without landing abroad, probably for the purpose of being absent during the trial

—The strike of the stone workers at Barre, Vt is extending The union cutters and blacksmiths at Williamstown struck Saturday morning having been ordered out by their respective organizations

—Hankins notorious gambling house on Clark street, Chicago, was raided at seven o'clock Saturday morning, and nearly two tons of gambling implements, furniture, etc were carried away and destroyed

—Two little girls daughters of Charles Mentzle and Charles Isbell, were drowned Friday evening while wading in the Cedar river south of Cedar Rapids, Ia The body of the Isbell girl has not been recovered

—The day express on the Boston & Maine railroad due at Concord, N H at 5 15 p m, Saturday ran into a freight train at East Lebanon injuring Engineer Burt, of this city, and smashing his engine and several freight cars

—The President, Vice President and the party that accompanied them to Cleveland reached Washington on the return trip at half past eight o'clock Saturday evening. The journey from Pittsburg was without notable incident

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Live Stock—Estimated receipts—Hogs 13,000, market 5 to 10 lower

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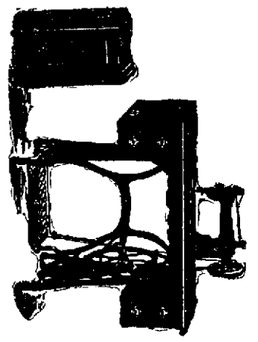

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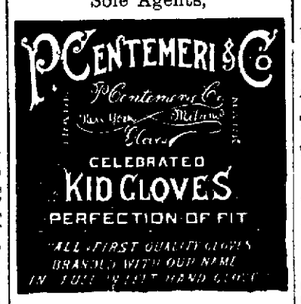

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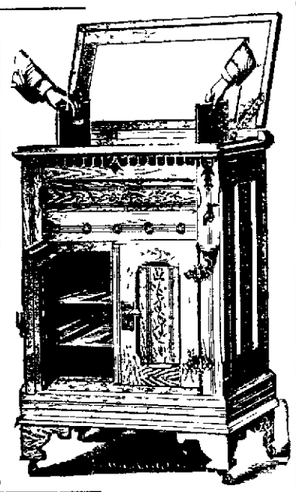

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TELEPHONE NO. 36.

MONDAY EVE, JUNE 2, 1890.

ANNOUNCEMENT

BOARD OF EDUCATION

We are authorized to announce JOHN K. WARREN as a candidate for member of the Decatur Board of Education

We are authorized to announce GEORGE W. KEAST of the Mosquito township, as a candidate for member of the Board of Education at the Republican convention

LOCAL NEWS.

SPOONS AND CREAMS in sterling silver, new and pretty patterns
E. D. BARTHOLOMEW & Co.

MEETING of the city council to-night.

It is boss the Little Corporal cigar.

HAVE you tried Golden Rule Plug?

BARNUM will visit Decatur on Saturday.

DECATUR strawberries will ripen in a few day

COURT is in session with Judge Vail on the bench

SCHOOL director election to morrow at the tabernacle

WHITE Foam flour is on sale at all Decatur grocery stores

THE Public Library is open again, after having been closed for two months.

TRY the Little Corporal 5 cent cigar.

FRANK LUMSDEN, a Wabash switchman at Forest, is in the city visiting friends.

THE taking of the 1890 census in the United States began to day The work of enumeration is to be completed in two weeks Are there 72,000,000 people in the U S?

THE world beaters are the celebrated Haines Everett and Sterling pianos, on sale only at C B Prescott's music store

THE High School commencement will be held at the Grand Friday forenoon, banquet and reception at night at Guards' Armory

KID GLOVES sold by Linn & Scruggs repaired without charge. d&w

YOU will like White Loaf flour It is sold by all first class grocers in the city.

A MEETING of the members of the Young Men's Republican Club will be held to-morrow night at the office of J. M Clokey A full attendance is desired, as business of importance will be transacted and officers for the ensuing year will be elected

THERE was no preaching at the Universalist church Sunday, because of the non-arrival of Rev Goodrich, who was detained at Springfield, as his pulpit supply failed him

PICTURES of any size to suit you every time at D n Chamberlain's gallery

JOHN YOUNG at the REPUBLICAN office, is the Decatur agent for the Remington Standard Typewriter, the most perfect machine made the favorite with all expert operators who desire quick work and perfect alignment d1w

THE Harry Osmer cigar store at 'The Corner' has been fitted up to a queen's taste regardless of expense Harry says Osmer must keep up with the procession if it takes every dollar of profit.

A FULL line of desirable groceries, fine berries and fresh butter every day at J. Lytle & Co's store

D. Holland Mich., C. J. Doesburg publishes the News and in its columns highly recommends Dr Thomas' Eclectric Oil for coughs colds, sore throat, croup and asthma

WE have the largest line of solid silver pieces ever shown in this city, ranging in price from $8 to $225 These goods will be here but a few days OTTO E. CURTIS & BRO

THERE is no settlement of the miners trouble in Decatur Men still idle and nothing doing at the mines. There is no shortage of coal as outside operators are supplying the consumers.

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OSBORNE makes the Little Corporal.

JAMES M PEASE was declared insane in the county court Saturday afternoon. He is now at the poor farm Pease is 44 years old In 1885 he was sent to the state asylum and after treatment was discharged as cured

BUY table supplies at Hanks & Patterson's complete grocery store Fruits and vegetables every day

AT SHUFELT'S the last chance to get a $4 shoe for $1 45 We never have before and never will again sell as good a shoe for the money This is a lady's hand made kid button shoe.
ma30 d1w POWERS SHOE STORE

THE Aurora Buck Beer is on tap at Robinson & Wissen's place d1

A FULL line of assorted flags for Memorial Day can be had at H. Mueller & Son's store, 158 Merchant street
n 28-d2

SMOKE the old reliable K. & W. cigars. mar25 dtf

THE Grand Opera House cigars, made by Koch & Weigand, are the best in town mar25-dtf

PRESENTS for graduating students and birthday gifts, in a large variety of forms can be found at West's Corner Book store

WALL PAPER and Window Shades in large assortments at Blank & Grass. 17-d2w

JACOB BRAM, expert wall paper cleaner, Wall paper cleaned and made as good as new. Sample work free. Leave orders at Inman's restaurant, South Main St. ma21-d6*

COURT IN SESSION.

The June Term Begins—The Grand Jury Foreman.

At 1 40 p. m. to-day Judge Vail directed Sheriff Manzy to formally open the June term of the Macon county circuit court, and it was done. Deputy Clerk McClellan called the roll of grand jurymen for the term, and after they were sworn and Thomas Ayres, of Whitmore township, had been appointed foreman, Judge Vail proceeded to deliver the charge orally, defining in brief their statutory power and duties. The Judge spoke at some length on the impropriety of grand jurymen talking about cases considered by them outside of the jury room. James Keefe, W. E. Bingham and W. H. Kuhns were put on the jury by the sheriff as substitutes for George Leiby, Daniel Stookey and M. D. Alexander, not present. The jury retired in charge of Bailiff Young.

The court then proceeded to enter motions in the civil dockets

The petit jurymen will not report until next Monday.

No Change.

There is no material change in the condition of J R. Mosser. He is yet too weak to leave his bed without assistance Should he regain his strength it will be several weeks before he will have the use of his limbs

School Election

The annual election for member of the Decatur Board of Education will be held to-morrow, and it is the duty of every voter who desires to see that our excellent public school system is kept at its present high state of efficiency, to go to the polls and cast his ballot. Mr John K. Warren has served very acceptably on the board in past years and is to day announced as a candidate for re-election Mr. Warren has proven himself thoroughly qualified for the position, and the people can not do better than see that he is elected

THE Presbyterians have about decided on the style of the new church they will soon erect on the corner of West Prairie and Church streets The plans of Mr Starbuck, of Chicago, will be accepted. It will be a modern structure of handsome proportions and will have a kitchen department.

A $30,000 CHURCH

St Johns People will Break Ground This Month for a New Edifice

An important meeting of the seven members of the vestry of St. John's Episcopal church was held at the rectory Saturday evening, when by a unanimous vote it was decided to purchase the Condell lot at the corner of West Eldorado and Church streets for the new church site, and to hold the property on North Water street for business purposes The decision is final, and ground will be broken before July 1st The two dwellings now on the Condell lot, which is 93x134½ feet in size, will be sold and removed.

It is the purpose of the St John's people to erect a handsome stone church on the ecclesiastical corner in ecclesiastical style, the same to cost about $30,000. It will have a seating capacity of 400 to 500. The plans are now being considered. Possibly the Starbuck plan will be accepted.

The old chapel will be removed to the new lot and placed on the north side at the rear. It will be used for a lecture room and by the Sabbath school

The Water street property is very valuable. The Water street frontage is 112½ feet, extending back to the alley 182 feet

The Episcopalians have made a wise selection

THE servant girl at the J A. Merriweather residence had the ill luck Saturday to nearly sever the thumb of her left hand while cutting kindling wood The family had to hustle and finish the meal which was in process of preparation for the table.

CHAIRMAN SMITH, of the county board has made Supervisor Montgomery chairman of the committee on fees and salaries and Supervisor Quinn chairman of the purchasing committee. The other chairmanships are not known.

Commencement

All pupils of the Decatur College of Music during the year, their parents, and all persons interested in the College, are cordially invited to attend the commencement exercises to be held at the Presbyterian church on Tuesday evening, June 10th, at 8 o'clock 2 d6

JUNE, the month of roses, starts out well. Marriage licenses were issued today to B F. Markland and Miss Lydia A Strong, both of Warrensburg, and to William H. Higgins and Miss Sophia R Held, both of Decatur.

FOR Earache, Toothache, Sore Throat, Swelled Neck, and the results of cold and inflammation, use Dr Thomas' Eclectric Oil—the great pain destroyer.

Sales of Real Estate.

John A. Mitchell to J N Odor, deed to tract of land in 10, 16, 2 east—$10.

Russell B Rogers to Will Kidder, deed to lot 1, block 1, Rogers' addition to Argenta—$100

Warren & Durfee to W. W. Gleesner, deed to lot 4, block 2, Warren & Co's 9th addition—$500.

Warren & Durfee to George J Dorrell, deed to lot 18, Warren & Co's 7th addition—$450

Matilda Bachman et al to William G. Bachman, deed to lot 4, block 2, Southwestern addition—$2175

IN the city of Venice neither horses or Veterinary Carbolsalve can be found. This salve is unequaled for rotting frog, cracked heels, speed cracks, scratches, sore nostrils, swollen glands, galls, cuts, bruises, strains and sprains.

REV. GEO E. SCRINGER conducted the funeral of the late Miss Cothron, which took place from the First M E church Sunday afternoon.

Republican Club Meeting.

The following is the official notice of the Republican club meeting to be held Tuesday evening next

DECATUR, ILL., May 29, 1890.

Pursuant to the constitution of the Club there will be a regular meeting of the Young Men's Republican Club on Tuesday evening, June 3, 1890, at 7.30 o'clock at the office of J. M. Clokey, for the regular election of officers and for the transaction of such business as may be brought before the meeting.

As important elections occur this year a large representative meeting is desired.

H. F. EHRMAN, President.
L. F. SKEELEY, Secretary.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

Out of Danger.

Charles F. Shilling, the druggist, who was thought to be fatally injured in a runaway accident on Memorial Day, is out of danger and will be about again in a few days. He was able to sit up Sunday and received numerous callers. He received bruises innumerable in the shake-up, but singular to state he has no recollection whatever of the horrors of his situation that afternoon. It is fortunate in that respect his mind is a blank. Blood issued from his ear until Sunday morning but it was not from the head. It came from the ear, and the flow was easily stopped.

THE pulpit at the Baptist church was occupied Sunday morning and evening by Nathaniel Butler, Professor of English Literature of the Illinois University at Champaign, whose addresses were thoroughly enjoyed by the large numbers who filled the church at both services. At the morning service the speaker made prominent the point that religion should be accepted for its important good and not for the science. That people of the present day were wont to reject the important for the unimportant. His address was a most scholarly one, as was his evening discourse when "Comparison of Morality with Religion" was the theme.

TAKING THE CENSUS.

Stand up and be Counted—Don't Dodge or Evade Questions.

The 1890 census takers began their work to day and if they have good luck and plain sailing each enumerator will finish his task within two weeks and then in due time we will know how many people inhabit the United States, besides having laid down before us in book form a vast amount of reliable information as to the wealth of the country. It is important that every citizen should receive the census taker cordially. Do not be afraid of him. He is not an assessor and has no connection with the gathering of taxes He is sworn to follow instructions and those who refuse to answer the questions propounded can be arrested and fined.

THE ENUMERATORS

Decatur township—Daniel A. Reeme
Decatur—First ward—Rudolph Thomas
Decatur—Second ward—William J. Usrey
Decatur—Third ward—J. S. McClelland
Decatur—Fourth ward—William R. Barnes
Decatur—Fifth ward—Robert W. Ferguson
Decatur—Additions to city—C. R. Spore
Austin—Joshua Hubbard
Blue Mound—John A. Barnes
Boiling Creek—Thomas H. Harrell
Burtonsville—William F. Ridler
Hickory Point—Sol. Williamson
Illini—E. F. Barton
Long Creek—James F. Underwood
Mount—Seth C. Crowell
Milam—Jacob V. Moody
Mt. Zion—John S. Hughes
Niantic—James I. Wells
Oakley—William A. Allen
Pleasant View—Aaron B. Shick
South Macon—Jesse L. Smith
South Wheatland—Noah M. Jacobs
Whitmore—James Lichtenberger

PERSONAL MENTION.

T A Smith is in Chicago on business.

Judith Mills has returned from Lincoln, Ill

Dr W. F. Calhoun left for Clinton this morning.

Frank Caldwell spent the Sabbath in Monticello.

Mrs S A Semple will leave for Chicago to-morrow

Mrs. H. E. Carmichael has returned from Albany, N Y

Dr. W. J. Chenoweth returned this morning from Cerro Gordo.

Mrs Pauline Dudley, of Merrill, Wis, is the guest of Mrs J. S. King

D A Merris and family, of Boody, spent the Sabbath with friends in Oakley.

Mrs Kate Tombs goes to Des Moines, Iowa, to morrow to visit her son James.

George Nebinger and family are entertaining Mrs. James Ensminger, of Kansas City.

Rev C H. Sheen returned this morning from Jacksonville, where he preached Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Culp are enjoying a visit from their son, Howard, of Topeka, Kansas

Officer Ed Leech returned this forenoon from a successful fishing expedition to Mackinaw.

Mrs J M Maris departs this week for Tacoma, Wash, where she will visit her sister, Mrs Hanna.

Mrs W H Barry and Mrs. Charles Williams, of Chicago, are visiting Mr. and Mrs Albert Barnes.

Senator W. C Johns returned this morning from his trip to Indian Territory and the Southwest

Miss Jennie Bishop, of Springfield, is the guest of her sister, Mrs Hurd, and her brother, Joe Bishop

Judge Nelson and wife and S M. Lutz and wife attended the S S. convention at Warrensburg on Sunday.

Mr and Mrs George Elliott, of Harristown, were in Decatur on Sunday and dined with their daughters.

Cashier B O. McReynolds, of the Decatur National Bank, is at Allensville, Ky, on a visit. He will be absent two weeks.

Rev Archie Ward will go to Peoria to morrow to meet the executive board of the Illinois colored Baptists, of which committee he is a member.

Nat Monroe, a veteran of Co. F, 35th Illinois Regiment, is in the city on his way to Sullivan. Nat is the sergeant of Cottage 11, at the Soldiers' Home at Quincy.

Edwin Johnson, the venerable father of Milton Johnson, has arrived from Hart, Michigan, and may make his future home with his son He is 70 years of age and is quite active.

Howard Phelps, of Ansonia, Conn., and Miss Anna Tuttle, this city, will be united in marriage at 510 East Eldorado street, June 12 at 9 30 a. m. They will depart for the east the same day

Miss Josephine Gasaway, formerly stenographer in the office of E. E. Fleming, division agent for the Wabash at Springfield, departed this morning for St. Louis, where she will accept a position in the general offices of the Wabash.

Mr. and Mrs George M. Bruce, of San Jose, Cal, are in the city on a visit, accompanied by their children, Morris M Bruce and Miss Bertha Bruce. Years ago Mr. Bruce was in the dry goods business in Decatur with F. L. Hays, but now he is a retired capitalist who has amassed more than a competency since removing to the far west. He will remain here a week or ten days

Lawn Fete.

Instead of the festival advertised to be held in Library Block, the young ladies of the Congregational church will give a Lawn Fete at Mr. W. R. Buckmaster's, 320 West Main street, on Tuesday evening, June 3 Everybody invited. 2d

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Children Cry for

THE CITY WATER.

Views of Ald. Graham on a Live Question.

There is no question but that Decatur should have purer water for use in the homes, but how to get it is a puzzler. The old councils in past years have been fishing for a solution of the problem, but as yet the experiments that have been made have proven failures. Ald. Graham, who is chairman of the water works committee, is evidently trying his best to get at some feasible plan to gladden the hearts of the water takers.

GRAHAM'S VIEWS.

Mr. Graham, in discussing the question, is quoted as saying "We pump in excess of 2,000,000 gallons of water daily. Our income from consumers for the last fiscal year was $17,503. If we had only got 8 cents a thousand gallons and had pumped only 2,000,000 gallons daily, our income should have been $58,900. It is evident that there is a wastage of three-fourths of the water pumped. Of the one fourth we use two-thirds goes to consumers who have no use, or no necessity, for filtered water, that is to say, it goes for use in factories, lawn sprinkling, closets, etc. On this ratio it leaves about one gallon in every twelve that would need to be filtered for cooking and drinking purposes Now the question narrows down to this which can the city best afford to do, filter on a large scale twelve gallons of water, when only one gallon of filtered water is absolutely necessary, or filter on a small scale, or allow the consumer to filter this one gallon. If the large scale can be afforded the filtering should be done at the water works, and if not, the consumer should be left to filter it. The small per cent. of filtered water necessary raises this question. Would not the consumer who needs filtered water get it in a stagnant and impure condition from being allowed to lie so long in the mains. For nine months in the year the water is fairly good. Manufacturers say they would not give one cent more on the thousand gallons to have the water filtered. Suppose then that 500 consumers need filtered water It would then be cheaper for the city to give each of these consumers a private filter than to build an expensive public filter. The disadvantage of this would be that many of the consumers pay but a small rent, and it would require the rent of three or four years to pay for a private filter These facts will make the council think a great deal before undertaking any expensive system of a public filter'

JOHN KITCHEN, instead of being a dutiful son and attending Sunday school yesterday, took his fishing pole and line and went to the raging Sangamon to fish. After enjoying the sport all afternoon he started home and caught the train at the junction southeast of the city When he alighted from the train he was hurled from the cars and struck on his head, cutting a long gash in his head A physician found it necessary to take several stitches in the wound

THE religious service for deaf mutes in Decatur and vicinity will be held this evening at 7 30 at St. John's Episcopal church, to which all are invited Rev A W. Mann, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Rev M. M. Goodwin will conduct the service, and the service and sermon will be interpreted in the sign language by Rev Mann.

REV J A. F. KING preached to two appreciative audiences yesterday. He selected for his morning text Romans, 12th chapter and 1st verse "I beseech you, therefore, brethren," etc He reminded his hearers that we are not our own property, but God's, "therefore glorify." The invitation is extended to every human being, and brings all under obligation to God. We are God's by creation. Christians are under stronger obligations to God, being adopted by Him. We want to be ready to make a complete sacrifice, knowing what sacrifices God has made for us, leaving the court of glory that we might come to Him, therefore is it not reasonable that we consecrate ourselves to him? The evening sermon was as interesting, the subject being "The Parting of the Ways"

THE Smith 10-cent circus arrived from Warrensburg last night. This morning L Selby, the conductor of the P, D & E. train, which brought the party here, went before Justice Curtis and had a search warrant issued to recover a valise belonging to him that had been nipped by one of the show party on the train Constable Bailey found the property The show is exhibiting near the depot The party who stole the valise cannot be identified.

THE Antioch Baptist church will give a paper festival at the church next Thursday night, for the purpose of papering the church. The admission will be one bolt of paper to be had at Abel's store. Those who wish to help a good cause should buy the paper and attend the festival. 2 d 4

Adolph Lalloz, carriage manufacturer, 113 Carroll Street, Buffalo, N. Y., states I was troubled with nausea of the stomach, sick headache and general debility. Burdock Bitters cured me.

P. T. BARNUM is now nearly eighty years of age, and is as vigorous and healthy almost as his equal partner, J A. Bailey, who is just turned forty years They are both very remarkable men, and the kings of the show world, and astounded the Royal Family of Great Britain as *well* as the whole of Europe, with the tremendous exhibition they brought to London and back again The big show as given in London and New York will be given in Decatur next Saturday

Woman's Club Meeting.

The annual meeting of the Woman's Club will be held at the Christian church on Tuesday, June 3d, at 2 o'clock. Election of officers and other important business. MRS GEO R. BACON, Vice Pres.
ALICE TYLER, Sec. 31 d2t

DIED.

At 1257 North Clayton street, on May 31, of consumption, Ada Ann Cothron, daughter of H. C. Cothron, aged 21 years

The deceased had been ill 18 months. The funeral occurred Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock Burial in Greenwood cemetery

THE vocal organs are strengthened by the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Clergymen, lawyers, singers, actors and public speakers find this preparation the most effective remedy for irritation and weakness of the throat and lungs, and for all affections of the vocal organs.

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Excursion to St. Paul.

On Monday, July 7th the I C R R will run an excursion train of free reclining chair cars and Pullman Palace sleeping cars through to St. Paul via Dubuque without change of cars Train will leave Decatur at 9 14 a m and arrive at St Paul at 7 45 next morning Tickets will be good to return as late as September 25th The return trip will be via Milwaukee and Chicago Fare for the round trip, $15 18 This is for the occasion of the National Educational Association meeting All teachers and their friends are invited to join this excursion.
may31 C O JUDSON, Ticket Agent.

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Printed Challies, in New and beautiful Styles
French, German and English Henriettas, in beautiful shades.
French and American Sateens, handsome as silks.
French and American Dress Goods, in Robes, Combination Suits and Plain Fabrics, surpassing anything ever shown in beauty of styles and richness of colors.
Our Golden Rule Black Silks, at $1 00, $1 25, $1 50 and $1.85, warranted not to cut, and best value ever offered anywhere
600 Parasols and Sun Umbrellas, as handsome as can be made, at Popular Prices.
The Best and Cheapest Fast Black Hose for Ladies and Children, in the market
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One prize of 35 yards of Lowell Body Brussels Carpet
One prize of 30 yards of best Black Silk
One prize of one $250 cloak
One prize of 20 yards of best Black Silk
One prize of 20 yards of best Colored Silk
One prize of 25 yards of best Lowell Ingrain Carpet
One prize of one best $10 Shawl
One prize of one pair of best $8 Blankets
Two prizes each of 10 yards of best silk Velvet
One prize of one best $7 Child's Cloak
Two prizes each of one Lady's $7 Jacket
One prize of one best $5 parasol
One prize of one best $5 Rug
Three prizes each of one best $6 gold headed Silk Umbrella
Two prizes each of one best $3 Marseilles Spread
Four prizes each of one Furniture Protector Cup Universal
Four prizes each of 3 yards of best Table Linen
Twelve prizes each of one pair of $2 kid Gloves
Forty prizes each of 12 yards of best Dress Gingham
Twelve prizes each of one best $1 Corset
Three prizes each of one pair of best $1 Kid Gloves
Or their equivalent in any other article of merchandise

The drawing to take place the FIRST DAY OF JANUARY, 1891 The prizes will be distributed under the direction of such persons as will insure justice and satisfaction to all Every lady who has her name in our Directory will have one chance, that will cost her nothing except the trouble of giving it her address.

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"The little thing had great difficulty in breathing, but retained breath enough to make Rome howl. Calming the father somewhat, we managed to learn that the child had swallowed a quarter of a dollar which had stuck in its throat. He asked if we could get it out. We promised to do our best, and as a clinic was in session took the child and the father into the pit of the amphitheatre and that the operation might be performed before the students.

"The professor began work at once for to saw that the child was in a fair way to suffocate. They use for these operations an instrument called a coin catcher, which is made like a crochet needle, only the material is rubber and the hook on the end of the instrument is longer than that of a crochet needle. The instrument is to be passed down the throat, past the coin, and when withdrawn the hook catches under the coin and it is pulled up. At best, it is a difficult operation for the child will kick and squirm, and it is not without danger to the surrounding parts.

"The professor worked away and as his efforts for a time proved unsuccessful the anxiety on the face of the father became intense. He fidgeted and seemed to think that all was lost. At length the coin was extricated and the boy stamped them a plause. The professor laid the coin down on the table while he washed his hands. This was the Italian's chance, and while the professor's back was turned he quickly transferred the quarter to his pocket. The look of distress vanished from his countenance.

"It became manifest that the loss of his coin had contended with the danger of losing his child to produce his anxiety and it is why I say it was the meanest thing I ever saw. The boys had one on the professor though when he turned and looked for the quarter, and they made the old building shake with their appreciation. The professor caught on and got the man to swap off the recovered quarter for another while he exhibited it to the class.—New York Evening Sun.

A Neat Swindle

A peculiarly suspicious individual named Mack was in charge of the City building or store, when two dapper looking young men entered. One carried in his hand an envelope which was addressed, but not sealed. Can you give me a ten dollar bill for these ten bills? he asked. The old lady wants to send the money in this letter.

The ten dollar bill was immediately given to the young man who apparently put it in the letter. Mack counted the bills given in exchange and found only nine there. There is only $9 in this, said he.

Oh how can that be? said the young man. The old lady must have made a mistake. I put the $10 in this letter and have sealed it. I don't want to open the envelop again. Will you just hold the letter with the $10 and I will take the $9 to the old lady.

Mack thought that fair enough as he believed he saw the young man put $10 in the envelope. He still holds it. It is said to be at Binghamton, N. Y. It's not long before Mack found that bank paper was all it contained.—Brooklyn Eagle.

A Prince's Antics.

The prince of Parma maintained great state in his small principality and by the aid of the Austrians very despotic authority. His little army was entirely under his own military code. His punishment of the officers was at times original. One of them insisted in compelling them to carry pails of water from one well to another 300 or 400 yards distant. He insisted that the entire absence of any useful purpose in this disagreeable task added greatly to its unpleasantness in which he was not far wrong. His practical jokes did not add to the dignity or comfort of his court. I was present at a grand ball when he ordered a large plate of strong mustard sandwiches to be handed round with his compliments at supper time to the most dignified of the great ladies who coughed and gesticulated painfully when they tried the pungent mixture.—Black wood.

The Bright Boy Knew

In one of the city schools a teacher, with all the patience and powers of persuasion she could command was endeavoring to instruct a class about a right angle triangle. After several attempts she called the scholars to account for inattention with the remark that what she was saying seemed to go in one ear and out the other. Again she repeated her description following it by asking: Who can tell what a right angle triangle is? Up went a hand, and the right boy to whom it belonged shouted:

Something which goes in one ear and out the other.—Worcester Spy.

Trees Below Ground

While sinking a well at his new saw mill near Seymour, Ind., Jesse Cox came across six large chestnut trees thirty feet below the surface in a perfect state of preservation.—Chicago Times.

Specimen Cases

S. H. Clifford, New Cassel, Wis., was troubled with Neuralgia and Rheumatism. His Stomach was disordered, his Liver was affected to an alarming degree, appetite fell away, and he was terribly reduced in flesh and strength. Three bottles of Electric Bitters cured him.

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Look Out for Your Cigar Stumps.

Be wary in the way you handle your cigar stumps in the street. One of the members of the Women's Health Protective association said yesterday that she was going to command the next man she saw throwing a cigar stump in the street to pick it up at once under penalty of arrest, and her sentiments were applauded.—New York Evening Sun.

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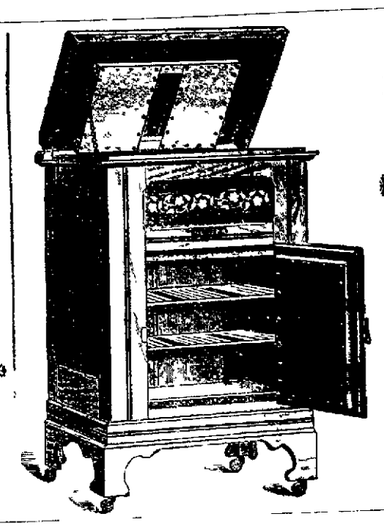

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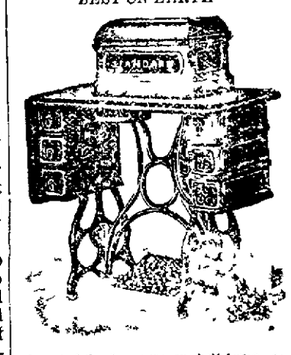

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57,000 Feet in Centre of the City.

THE FINEST RESIDENCE PROPERTY IN THE CITY OF ST. LOUIS

Fronting on Fourteen Different Streets and Avenues

This unequaled residence section is surrounded by the most magnificent Boulevards and Parks in St. Louis. On the west is Tower Grove, a park that is known all over the world for its beauty and artistic arrangements. On the west is Shaw's Garden, containing the rarest plants and most beautiful flowers from all parts of the world. On the east border is Compton Hill Park, another beautiful reservation. Grand and Lower Grove Avenues, two of St. Louis finest drives, are on the East and West respectively, while Shaw's and Magnolia Avenues are on the North and South. Thus situated this magnificent property is a perfect garden spot being ever swept by pure and refreshing breezes. Being in the Compton Hill District it is the Best Drained Locality in the City. Being on the highest ground in the City it possesses natural drainage at all hours. The opportunity is now offered to secure sites in this most magnificent place and should be grasped, for Tyler Place is destined to contain the culture of St. Louis.

TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES.

THE FOURTH STREET CABLE passes on Grand Avenue the entire length of the Eastern Front.
THE MARKET STREET LINE runs on Tower Grove Avenue, the Western Boundary.
THE UNION DEPOT LINE passes just south on Arsenal street.
THE ELEVATED ROAD will pass through the center of PLACE from North to South on Thurman Boulevard, reserved for that purpose.

UNEQUALLED TERMS are afforded in the sale of this property. One-third cash, balance on or before one and two years at six per cent. Taxes for 1890 to be paid by purchasers. On bidding off each Lot, $50 to cash is payable.

TITLE ABSOLUTELY PERFECT, or NO SALE, and EARNEST MONEY REFUNDED

AS A SPECULATION the sale of this immense and beautiful tract will be followed by the erection by the purchasers of hundreds of handsome residences, which will increase the value of the property at least 50 per cent. within one year. AS AN INVESTMENT A LOT IN SUCH A PLACE IS AS GOOD AS A TEN PER CENT. BOND.

In the purchase an **Excellent Financial Arrangement is Made.** The notes given for deferred payments can be paid off whenever desired, interest being computed from day of sale to day of payment only. This gives Speculators, Building Associations, Stockholders, Builders, Investors and all Buyers unusual opportunities to secure property at a very low figure bound to rapidly and steadily increase in value.

RESTRICTIONS. In each deed will be Restriction Clauses, which establishes a building line ten feet back of the street and prohibits the erection of any but a two-story brick house.

GREATLY REDUCED RATES ON ALL RAILROADS. For Further Particulars Apply to

OR S. F. & T. A. SCOTT, Trustees for Owners, ST. LOUIS, MO.

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